PARAMOUNT COLLECTOR

APRIL 1976

Paramount's Bermuda Triangle Special features three low mintage Proof coins at a price that saves you $13.95.

Generals Grant, Lee and Jackson join forces to save [illegible] in April's Mason Dixon Special.

PARAMOUNT
INTERNATIONAL COIN CORPORATION

Dear Collector,

Welcome to the "Paramount Collector". This is the first issue using the new format, which permits us to present a wider selection of rare coins to you. Your comments and suggestions will be most appreciated.

This issue contains many selections from our rare coin inventory in addition to a number of new and exciting offers. If you don't see exactly what you are looking for, write to us. We'll do our best to locate those needed items.

Many of the coins listed here are one of a kind in our stock. Please list alternate choices whenever possible. Your second choice will only be used in the event your first choice was previously sold. If you are collecting by type please indicate on your order.

We're proud of the reputation we've built over the years. It takes more than nice coins at fair prices to develop this. It's what we call "Total Value". You get more than just a nice coin when you order from Paramount. Our years of experience, knowledge and integrity are behind everything we sell. That's worth a lot to you now but it's worth even more when it comes time for you to sell.

Please call on items of particular interest and we'll be happy to reserve them for you. We're here from 9:00 to 5:00 EST weekdays.

Sincerely,

Raymond N. Merena

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Vice-President and General Manager

"Do You Think . . .

silver dollars are still a good buy?" We are asked this question constantly. And our answer is a firm YES. Silver dollars are among the most collected series of U.S. coins. From the commonest date to the scarcest date, silver dollars are in demand. And coins in demand, especially scarce or rare coins, tend to rise in value.

This month we spotlight three 19th Century Morgan Dollars — the 1890-S, 1890-CC and the 1891-S — IN MINT STATE 65! We have searched for five months to buy just a few nice pieces of each date. You might be amazed at the coins some other dealers are calling MS-65 today. We rejected dozens of so-called "Mint State 65" coins for each coin which met our tough grading standards. Remember to compare quality when comparing prices. Paramount's quality is second to none!

Send for your 1890-S, 1890-CC and 1891-S Morgan Dollars today. Be sure to check our package price on these three coins — you'll save even more!

1890-S Morgan Dollar, MS-65 ..... $ 36.00
1890-CC Morgan Dollar, MS-65 ..... $ 90.00
1891-S Morgan Dollar, MS-65 ..... $ 39.00
Springtime Special! One of Each Date for $155.00

YOU SAVE $10

Paramount is Buying Choice Coins of the World

The New Foreign Division at Paramount is eagerly hunting choice and rare foreign coins and collections. We need coins in the following areas and are willing to pay the highest possible prices to get them.

Needed:

- **British and British Commonwealth Coinage**
- **Choice Canadian Coins**
- **Coins from Mexico, Central and South America**
- **Choice European Crowns and Minors**

For an immediate offer, package your coins carefully and send them to us by registered mail. If you accept our offer, we will airmail our check to you the same day. If you choose not to accept, your coins will be returned immediately, fully insured and postpaid at our expense. We will be happy to discuss the sale of your coins with you. Please write or call Karl Hirtzinger of our Foreign Coin Division, collect, at 513 — 836-8641, anytime between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM weekdays.

COLONIAL

1795, Grate Cent, Large Buttons, Reeded Edge, EF-AU 225.00

HALF CENTS

Liberty Cap

1796, With Pole, VF. One of the most pleasing examples of this rare date that we have ever handled . 6250.00

Draped Bust

1800, BU, choice. Only year of type, save for the extremely rare 1802, reverse of 1800 . . . . . 3200.00
1803, Good 19.00
1806, Large 6, AG 12.50
1807, Good 19.00
1808, Good 19.00

Classic Head

1809, First year of type. Good, $16.00; VG 19.00
1809, 9 over 6, VF,$42.00; Red and Brown Unc 495.00
1810, Good, $18.00; Brown Unc,choice. Ex-1974 Paramount's ANA sale, where it realized $1250 . . . . . 1450.00
1811, VG 65.00
1825, VG 17.50
1826, VG 17.50
1828, 12 Stars, Good 16.00
1829, VG, $17.50; Fine, $24.00; VF 35.00
1833, Choice Proof. Relative to the price for Uncirculated Half Cents, our price for this outstanding coin must be reasonable 1150.00
1834, Good 14.00
1835, Red and Brown Unc . . . 295.00
1836, Original, Choice Proof. Only a dozen or so known! 2500.00

Braided Hair

1849, Large Date, VG 19.00
1851, VF 36.00
1855, VG 19.00
1856, Choice Proof. Rarely offered 1100.00
1857, Choice Proof. A needle-sharp strike 1100.00

LARGE CENTS

Liberty Cap

1795, Brown Unc, choice, flawless surfaces 3750.00

Draped Bust

1796, Third Reverse. Brown Unc. From the old Nichols Find 1400.00
1797, Third Reverse, Stems. Ex-Holmes Collection. Red and Brown Unc, choice 2750.00
1806, Good 25.00

Classic Head

1811, Fair 35.00
1813, AU, choice. So nicely struck that it exhibits more detail than most Uncirculated coins of this date 1200.00

Coronet

1817, 15 Stars, VF 42.00
1822, Brown Unc, choice. A highly respected date, and very scarce in this grade 495.00
1823, Good 22.00
1824, 4 over 2, VF 49.00
1824, Fine 17.00
1826, Fine 12.00
1827, VF 16.00
1828, Small Date, Fine 18.00
1831, VF 14.00
1832, VF 16.00
1835, Small 8, Fine 12.50
1836, Fine 10.00
1837, Second Head, Medium Letters, VF 14.00
1838, EF 24.00
1839, Fourth Head, AKA "Silly Head", Fine 19.00
1839, Sixth Head, Fine 25.00
1840, Large Date, VF, $12.00;Red and Brown Unc 450.00
1842, Large Date, Fine 8.50
1843, Sixth Head, Large Letters, Fine 39.00
1843, Sixth Head, Large Letters, Obverse of 1842, Reverse of 1844, VF 65.00
1843, Seventh Head, Fine 12.00
1845, VF 9.50

Large Cents (Cont'd.)

1850, VF 9.50
1852, VF 9.50
1855, Slanting 5's, EF 18.00
1856, Upright 5, VF 9.50
1857, Small Date, Choice Proof. A bargain at 2500.00
1857, Large Date, VF 39.00

FLYING EAGLE CENTS

1857, Proof. The rarest cent of this type in Proof. Only a small nick at twelve o'clock on the obverse keeps it from the "Choice" class 2100.00
1858, Small Letters, BU 425.00
1858, Large Letters, Choice Proof. Beautiful *and* rare! 3200.00

INDIAN HEAD CENTS

1859, VF, $20.00; Choice Proof, Underrated 1200.00
1864, Bronze, Red and Brown Unc 55.00
1864-L, BU 325.00
1865, Red and Brown Unc, $49.00; Choice Proof 325.00
1866, Fine-VF, $27.00; Choice Proof 265.00
1867, Choice Proof 325.00
1869, Good 13.00
1870, VG 19.00
1871, Good, $15.00; Red and Brown Unc 219.00
1872, AG, $10.00; VF 65.00
1873, Proof 235.00
1877, The key to the series. Select the grade that matches your pocketbook. AG, $67.50; VG-Fine, $169.00; Red and Brown Unc 950.00
1879, Red and Brown Unc, $59.00; BU, $65.00; BU, Proof-like . . 75.00
1880, Red and Brown Unc 35.00
1888, EF 6.00
1892, BU 39.00
1893, Red and Brown Unc 35.00
1894, EF, $11.00; BU 49.00
1895, Red and Brown Unc 35.00
1896, BU 37.50
1897, AU choice, $10.00; Red and Brown Unc 35.00
1898, Red and Brown Unc 32.50
1899, Brown Unc, $22.00; Red and Brown Unc, $32.50; BU 37.50
1900, BU,$35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1901, Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1902, Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1903, Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1904, Brown Unc, $22.00; Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1905, Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1907, Red and Brown Unc, $29.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice. From an original roll 42.50
1908, BU, choice. From an original roll 47.50

SPECIAL OFFERING:
Pick any three different dates of BU, choice Indian Cents 1900-1908, inclusive, all picked from original BU, choice rolls, and pay only $119.00

1909, AU, $12.00; Red and Brown Unc, $39.00; BU, $45.00; BU, choice 52.00
1909-S, Good, $59.00; AF 79.00

LINCOLN CENTS

1909, VDB, BU, $14.00; BU, choice 15.00
1909, BU, choice 12.00
1909-S, VG, $22.00; BU, choice 85.00
1909-S, VDB, Red and Brown Unc 295.00
1910-S, EF 10.00
1911-D, EF 15.00
1911-S, VG, $10.00; Fine, $12.00; VF 16.00
1912-D, EF 17.00
1912-S, Fine 10.00
1913-D, VF 6.00
1913-S, VF 7.50
1914-D, Good, $39.00; EF, a very scarce grade for this issue, $179.00; Red and Brown Unc, a nice coin 695.00
1914-S, VG, $6.00; Fine 7.00
1915-D, EF 8.00

OUR FIRST GOLD DOLLARS

Although approximately 11¾ million Type I gold dollars were minted, more than 8 million pieces were officially melted between 1859 and 1861 in order to make other gold coins. Therefore, only one third of the entire Type I series even survived their first twelve years. Since then many others have been damaged, circulated, used in jewelry or lost.

Today, the Type I gold dollar is a very popular coin. Collectors need one for a type set or several for a date/mintmark set.

We obtained 8 pieces of Type I gold dollars in the last two collections we purchased. This is an excellent opportunity for you to include a beautiful gold dollar dated 1849-1854 in your collection.

Type I Gold Dollar, 1849-1854, Date of Our Choice, Brilliant Uncirculated. $350.00

In the same collections were two pieces of the very scarce 1855-C gold dollar. Usually found poorly struck and heavily circulated, the 1855-C is the only Type II gold dollar struck in Charlotte, North Carolina. And with a mintage of only 9,803, you can understand the heavy demand for high grade pieces.

We offer an Extremely Fine specimen for $1500 or an Almost Uncirculated example for $2900. As with every coin we sell, we guarantee each gold dollar to be accurately graded and absolutely genuine. Order yours today.

1855-C Type II Gold Dollar, Extremely Fine $1500.00
1855-C Type II Gold Dollar, Almost Uncirculated $2900.00

With each gold dollar purchased from this price list, a complimentary copy of David W. Akers' book *U.S. Gold Dollars* (retail value $7.95) will be included at no extra charge.

Advanced Collectors...

know public auctions are one of the best methods of selling rarities or hard to locate high condition coins. Thousands of satisfied customers know that Paramount's Auction Department can provide expert cataloguing, the most advanced photography in the industry and the auction customers who bid amazing prices. If you are considering the sale of your entire collection, or just a few duplicates, it will pay you to contact our Auction Department. Call Sandra Schwartz at 513–836-8641 collect.

Lincoln Cents (Cont'd.)

1915-S, Fine, $6.00; VF 8.00
1920, BU 9.00
1921-S, BU. Full wheat lines! . 250.00
1923-S, A deceptively tough date in these grades. BU, $225.00; BU, choice 275.00
1924-D, Fine 10.00
1924-S, BU 85.00
1925, BU, choice 10.00
1927, BU 6.50
1928, BU 6.50
1929, BU, $5.00; BU, choice . . . 6.00
1930, BU 4.50
1930-D, BU 8.00
1930-S, BU 5.95
1931, BU 14.50
1931-S, Fine, $26.00; VF, $29.00; VF-EF, $35.00; EF, $36.50; AU, $39.00; Red and Brown Unc 49.00
1932, BU 12.50
1932-D, BU 13.00
1933-D, BU 17.50
1934-D, BU 14.00
1955, Double Die. A scarce error, currently in heavy demand. EF, $249.00; AU, $275.00; BU 495.00

TWO CENT PIECES

1865, Fine-VF 10.00
1866, EF 25.00
1873, Closed 3, Choice Proof. . 795.00

NICKEL THREE CENT PIECES

1865, BU, $110.00; Choice Proof, unimprovable 650.00
1866, BU, $110.00; BU, choice 135.00
1877, Choice Proof 750.00
1878, Choice Proof 319.00
1881, Choice Proof 169.00
1882, Choice Proof 185.00
1883, Choice Proof 185.00
1885, Proof, $185.00; Choice Proof 219.00

SHIELD NICKELS

1868, AU, $39.00; BU, choice, $175.00; Choice Proof 210.00
1870, Choice Proof 225.00
1872, Choice Proof 225.00
1873, Choice Proof 210.00
1875, Choice Proof 275.00
1876, BU, choice, $199.00; Proof 220.00
1878, Choice Proof 350.00
1879, Choice Proof 250.00
1880, Choice Proof 250.00
1883, BU, choice 175.00

LIBERTY NICKELS

1883, No Cents, BU, choice . . . 49.00
1883, With Cents, Fine, $8.00; AU, choice, $32.00; BU 85.00
1884, EF, $16.00; AU, choice, $35.00; Choice Proof 149.00
1885, VF. Scarce grade 129.00
1886, Fine, $49.00; Choice Proof 250.00
1887, AU, choice, $32.00; BU. . 85.00
1888, BU, $85.00; Choice Proof 149.00
1889, BU 85.00
1890, BU 85.00
1892, BU, $85.00; Choice Proof 145.00
1895, AU, choice, $29.00; Choice Proof 145.00
1896, BU, $89.00; Choice Proof 169.00
1897, BU 79.00
1898, BU, choice, $89.00; Choice Proof 145.00
1899, BU 85.00
1900, EF, $8.00; BU 75.00
1901, BU, $75.00; BU, choice . . 85.00
1902, BU 75.00
1904, EF, $8.00; BU 75.00
1905, BU, $75.00; BU, choice . . 85.00
1906, EF, $8.00; AU, $25.00; BU, choice 85.00
1907, BU, choice, $85.00; Choice Proof, the rarest Liberty Nickel in Proof. 149.00
1908, BU, choice 85.00
1909, BU 75.00
1910, BU 75.00
1911, BU 75.00
1912, EF, $8.00; AU, $25.00; BU, choice 85.00
1912-D, EF, $32.50; BU, choice, iridescent toning, superb! 395.00
1912-S, Good 24.00

BUFFALO NICKELS

1913, Type I, BU, $35.00; BU, choice 39.00

Woodsman's Trio

Daniel Boone. The frontiersman, fur trapper and scout. Friend of Chief Black Fish of the Shawnee Indians. Subject of the Boone Commemorative Half Dollars.

The 200th Anniversary of Boone's birth was marked by the issuance of commemorative half dollars for five years, 1934-1938. Only 5,005 3-coin sets were issued in 1935 – A MIGHTY SMALL NUMBER. And we think the price is mighty small, too! Only $150 for all three 1935 Boone coins – one each from Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco. You'll appreciate the design, price and high quality of the three rare coins which make up the Woodsman's Trio. Mail your order today.

1935 P-D-S Boone Commemorative Half Dollars, Brilliant Uncirculated, 3 Coins $150.00

We asked our Rare Coin Experts

"What one particular coin or coins, of our entire $5 million inventory, would you most quickly recommend to your own personal client with a few hundred dollars to spend, right now?"

The answer may shock you.

Our Rare Coin Consultants are full time professionals. They do research on major rarities for clients; compile portfolios for doctors and executives; they write *Trends,* the weekly index of U.S. coin prices published in *Coin World* (circulation: 133,000). They *know* the rare coin market, inside out.

Their Recommendations: 1. United States Type Coins, 2. The Brilliant Uncirculated, Choice 1872-S Half Dime.

Surprising? Not to those who see the weekly, monthly and yearly growth of coins.

The 1872-S Half Dime is a Type Coin. According to the *Red Book,* in the last year its price increased by *18.5%.* How much interest did your savings account pay?

We have the 1872-S in stock now and ready for immediate delivery. You will be pleased with their brilliant, frosted, Choice quality. Put one in your portfolio NOW.

1872-S United States Half Dime, Choice Brilliant Uncirculated $249.00

This Gold Is Just YOUR TYPE

Gold coins. Images of history. Memories of miners, claim jumpers and boom towns. Think of the days when gold coins were found on poker tables and in cash registers. Any bank could supply coins for a complete type set . . . but not today.

In your letters and by phone, you have asked for type sets of U.S. gold coins. We searched for more than a year to locate high quality, authentic coins. Now you can obtain a Liberty or Indian Set and be sure they are genuine.

Liberty Gold Type Set, $2½, $5, $10, $20 Coins, Dates of Our Choice 1838-1908, Extremely Fine to Almost Uncirculated $595.00
Same — Brilliant Uncirculated $695.00

Indian Gold Type Set, $2½, $5, $10 Indian, $20 Saint-Gaudens Coins, Dates of Our Choice 1908-1932, Extremely Fine to Almost Uncirculated $625.00
Same — Brilliant Uncirculated $875.00

Each set is hand mounted in a Capital Plastic display. Order your Type Set of U.S. gold coins today.

— PARAMOUNT PAYS THE POSTAGE — on your order regardless of size. Safe delivery to you is guaranteed. The words *coins* or *numismatics* do not appear on any shipment.

Buffalo Nickels (Cont'd.)

1913, Type II, AU 10.00
1913-D, Type I, VF 8.00
1913-D, Type II, VF, $32.00; EF, $37.00; AU, choice, $65.00; BU 105.00
1913-S, Type I, VF, $10.00; EF 14.00
1913-S, Type II, Good 28.00
1914, EF, $7.00; BU, $35.00; BU, choice 39.00
1914-D, VF 35.00
1914-S, VF 9.00
1915, AU 13.50
1915-D, Fine 8.50
1915-S, VG, $8.00; Fine 17.50
1916-D, VF 10.00
1917-D, Fine 7.50
1919, BU, $34.00; BU, choice .. 39.00
1919-D, VF 24.00
1920, AU, choice 12.00
1920-S, BU. Usual weak strike 165.00
1921-S, AU 119.00
1923-S, Unc 175.00
1924-D, VF, $16.00; AU 69.00
1924-S, Fine 15.00
1925-D, VF 24.00
1925-S, EF, $36.00; BU 249.00
1926-D, BU, weak strike, $129.00; BU, above average strike .. 175.00
1926-S, Fine 11.00
1927, AU, choice, $10.00; BU, $24.00; BU, choice 32.50
1927-D, BU 52.00
1927-S, VF, $9.00; BU 250.00
1928-D, BU, $25.00; BU, choice 32.00
1930, BU, choice 22.00
1931-S, VF, $5.00; BU, $59.00; BU, choice 65.00
1934, BU 26.00
1934-D, BU, $35.00; BU, choice 42.00
1935, BU, choice 16.00
1935-D, BU, $24.00; BU, choice 29.00
1935-S, BU 14.00
1936, BU, $10.00; Choice Brilliant Proof 465.00
1936-D, BU, $12.00; BU, choice 14.00
1937, BU, $10.00; BU, choice, $12.00; Choice Proof 425.00
1937-D, BU 12.00
1937-D, Three legged. Fine 42.00
1938-D, BU, $9.00; BU, choice 10.00

JEFFERSON NICKELS

1939, Double Monticello. Fine 10.00
1939-D, AU, $15.00; BU, $42.00; BU, choice 45.00
1942, Type II, Choice Proof ... 55.00
1950-D, BU, $10.00; BU, choice 11.00

THREE CENT SILVER

1851-O, VG 14.00
1856, Fine 16.00
1858, Fine 16.00
1862, Unc, choice, Proof-like 225.00

HALF DIMES

Flowing Hair

1794, Unc, choice. Many times rarer than the 1795, for which we note advertisements at equal or greater prices 8500.00

Capped Bust

1829, Fine, $24.00; BU, choice 535.00
1830, Fine 24.00

Liberty Seated

1838, No Drapery, Unc. Nicely toned 250.00
1840, No Drapery, BU, choice 475.00
1854, Fine 8.00
1856, BU, $225.00; BU, choice 340.00
1859, Choice Proof 495.00
1863, Choice Proof 395.00
1872-S, Mintmark below wreath, BU choice 249.00
1872-S, Mintmark above wreath, BU, choice 249.00

Draped Bust

1802, Fine, $295.00; AU, one of the finest known 1800.00

Capped Bust

1809, Unc, choice. Combines unquestionable rarity and unimprovable quality 9500.00

Unusual Denominations for Your Collection

Half Cent, Two Cent, Three Cent, Twenty Cent pieces . . . coins from a bygone era. An era of expansion and westward movement. The railroads expanded to the Pacific. California entered the Union.

We were a young and dynamic nation with the daring to try anything. Including unusual denominations . . . like the Two Cent, Three Cent and Twenty Cent pieces.

You will really enjoy the following obsolete U.S. denominations in your collection:

Half Cent (1809-1836)
Two Cent Piece (1864-1873)
Twenty Cent Piece (1875-1878)
Three Cent Piece Silver Type I (1851-1853)
Three Cent Piece Nickel (1865-1889)

No longer struck, each denomination has been recalled by the U.S. Treasury. The few remaining specimens are still legal tender — but any collector knows that these coins are worth at least many, many times face value!

Think of the pleasure you'll have owning coins actually used by men and women during the gold rush of 1849 or during the Civil War. Send for your obsolete five-coin set today and we'll include a hard plastic display case too!

Unusual Type Coin Set — Half Cent (1809-1836), Two Cent Piece (1864-1873), Silver Three Cent Piece (1851-1853), Nickel Three Cent Piece (1865-1889) and Twenty Cent Piece (1875-1878) — Five Coins, Minimum Condition Good to Very Good with Full Rims, Dates of Our Choice, and Deluxe Display Case $79.00

1879 $3 GOLD:

Only 3,030 Struck

Imagine owning a Choice Brilliant Uncirculated $3 gold piece. But not just any date — a coin with a mintage of only 3,030. Imagine your pleasure when you hold it in your hand . . . examine it closely, smile and add it to your collection. Moments like these are rare. Few can boast of seeing a Choice BU $3 gold piece. Even fewer can own one.

Three dollar gold pieces were not popular when issued, but in the past 10 years their true rarity has begun to show. Imagine buying an Uncirculated 1879 $3 gold coin for $350! That's what they listed for in 1966! Today's price is almost 10 TIMES THAT AMOUNT! What a fantastic increase! Even with this tremendous rise, these coins are scarcer than ever! And today greater numbers of collectors are adding better date, choice condition $3 gold pieces to their type sets — for just a small percentage over common date prices.

We estimate that only 200 to 300 1879 $3 gold coins exist IN ANY CONDITION. You now have the opportunity to add an extreme rarity to your collection. Call us collect to reserve this treasure. Our phone number is 513–836-8641. Call NOW!

1879 $3 Gold Piece, Choice Brilliant Uncirculated
(Mintage: 3,030) $3000.00

Half Dimes (Cont'd.)

1821, Small date, BU. Ideal for your type set 1900.00
1822, Good 75.00

Liberty Seated

1838, Large Stars, No Drapery, BU, choice. Scarce type 595.00
1838-O, No Stars, AG 17.50
1843-O, Good 19.00
1844, Good, $35.00; VG, $49.00; VG-Fine, $62.50; Fine, $79.00; VF-EF 169.00
1845-O, Good, $19.00; VG, $29.00; VF 140.00
1846, VG 35.00
1853, No Arrows, Fine, $39.00; VF 59.00
1856, Small Date, VF 14.00
1857, Fine, $7.50; Choice Proof. Early Proofs such as this are becoming almost impossible to find . . 695.00
1857-O, VF 14.00
1859, Choice Proof 595.00
1873, Arrows, VG-Fine 22.00
1875, BU 179.00
1875-CC, Mintmark Below Wreath, BU, choice. 249.00
1876-S, BU 179.00
1879, Low mintage, Choice Proof 295.00
1884, Choice Proof 269.00
1885, Choice Proof 269.00
1886, Choice Proof 269.00
1886-S BU, choice 329.00
1887-S, BU 189.00

BARBER DIMES

1892-S, Good 15.00
1894-O, Good 19.00
1895, Fine-VF. Very rare in this grade 65.00
1895-O, Fair 20.00
1895-S, Good 10.00
1896-O, Good 24.00
1901-S, Good 19.00
1903-S, Good 16.00
1908, AU 32.00
1908-D, EF 15.00

MERCURY DIMES

1916, BU, choice 29.00
1916-S, AU, choice 14.00
1917, AU, choice 9.00
1917-D, VF 7.50
1918, AU, choice 25.00
1918-D, EF 12.00
1919, AU 17.00
1919-S, VF 10.00
1921, AG, $8.00; VG, $22.00; EF, scarce grade 195.00
1921-D, AG, $12.00; Good, $22.00; VG, $32.00; Fine 47.50
1923, AU 6.50
1923-S, VF 6.00
1925-D, VF 15.00
1926-S, EF 39.00
1927-D, VF, $12.00; AU, choice 85.00
1927-S, EF 14.00
1928, AU 6.00
1928-S, AU 25.00
1929, BU, choice 24.00
1929-D, BU, $29.00; BU, choice 32.00
1930, BU, $39.00; BU, choice . . 49.00
1931, AU 12.00
1931-D, Fine, $8.00; VF 12.00
1931-S, EF 10.00
1935-S, BU, choice 24.00
1936, BU, $5.00; BU, choice . . . 6.00
1936-D, BU, $45.00; BU, choice 49.00
1936-S, BU, $24.00; BU, choice 27.50
1937, BU, choice, $4.50; Choice Proof 120.00
1937-D, BU 19.00
1938-D, BU, $15.00; BU, choice 17.50
1938-S, BU 12.50
1939, BU 4.00
1939-D, BU, $7.50; BU, choice . . 9.00
1939-S, BU, $19.00; BU, choice 24.00
1940-D, BU, choice 9.00
1940-S, BU, $6.00; BU, choice . . 8.00
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1909-D, BU, choice 295.00
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1917-D, Type II, Fine 14.00
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1917-S, Type II, Fine 16.00
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1918-D, Fine, $12.00; BU, choice 179.00
1919, VF 16.00
1919-D, VG 29.00
1919-S, Fine 42.00
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1920-S, VF 15.00
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1923-S Fine 55.00
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1924-S, VF, $18.00; AU, choice 79.00
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1926-D, BU, $95.00; BU, choice 110.00
1927-D, BU, choice 179.00
1927-S, EF-AU 149.00
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1930-S, BU, choice 110.00

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1939-S, BU, choice 49.50
1940-D, BU, choice 52.00
1940-S, BU, $22.00; BU, choice 26.00
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1941-D, BU, choice 19.00
1941-S, BU, choice 15.00
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HALF DOLLARS

Draped Bust

1807, Bust Right, VF 129.00

Capped Bust

1809, VG 27.50
1810, Unc, choice. This coin is slightly weak on eagle's left wing, but this is peculiar to this variety and coin is *not* weakly struck; from 1975 ANA sale, beautifully toned 750.00
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1820, Fine, $39.00; VF, $55.00; AU 195.00
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1829, VF, $35.00; EF 49.00
1830, VF, $35.00; EF 49.00
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1892-O, Good 55.00
1892-S, Good 45.00
1893-O, Good, $12.00; BU . . . 550.00
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1896-O, Good 11.00
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1908-O, VF 36.00
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1909 S, VF 36.00
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1916, BU, choice 350.00
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1939-S, BU, choice 105.00
1940, BU, choice 32.00
1940-S, BU 42.50
1941, BU, $16.00; BU, choice . . 20.00
1941-D, BU, $32.00; BU, choice 39.00
1942, BU, $16.00; BU, choice, $20.00; Choice Proof 159.00
1942-D, BU, choice 32.00
1942-S, BU, $46.00; BU, choice 55.00
1943, BU, $16.00; BU, choice . . 20.00
1943-D, BU, $39.00; BU, choice 45.00
1943-S, BU, $27.00; BU, choice 34.00
1944, BU, $16.00; BU, choice . . 20.00
1944-S, BU, $32.00; BU, choice 39.00

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1945-S, BU 25.00
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1946-S, BU, $25.00; BU, choice 32.00
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1947-D, BU, $25.00; BU, choice 29.00

FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

1948, BU, choice 11.00
1949, BU, $32.00; BU, choice . . 35.00
1949-D, BU 25.00
1949-S, BU 49.00
1950, BU, $22.50; BU, choice 25.00
1950-D, BU, $13.00; BU, choice 15.00
1951, BU 10.00
1951-D, BU, $21.00; BU, choice 24.00
1951-S, BU, $11.00; BU, choice 13.00
1952, BU 7.00
1952-S, BU, $18.00; BU, choice 21.00
1953, BU, $14.00; BU, choice 16.50
1953-S, BU, choice 8.50
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Draped Bust

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1891, AU, choice 15.00
1891-O, AU, choice 19.00
1892-CC, VF 35.00
1892-O, AU, choice 29.00
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1893-CC, VF 45.00
1893-O, VG 14.00
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1895-S, Good, $18.00; VG 30.00
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1926-S, AU, choice 12.00
1927, EF 18.00
1927-D, VF, $10.00; EF 14.00
1927-S, AU 45.00
1934, EF 19.00
1934-D, EF 12.00
1935, VF, $10.00; AU, $18.00; AU, choice 24.00

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1851-O, EF 195.00
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1921-P	246,000	$1900 to $2200
1938-D	491,600	$450

We feel the 1938-D, with a mintage of less than ½ million is a solid value. A rare coin with a low mintage in a popular series, does not remain low priced forever. And so often, the price goes up while the number available decreases!

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Capped Bust

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1807, AU, choice. A type set of gold, including the early (1795-1838) coins, is one of the most beautiful collections a numismatist can build. This coin is a perfect addition to your set! 4250.00

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1821, AU, choice. An elusive date. This piece is probably the finest available on today's market at any price 12,000.00

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Classic Head

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1839-C, EF-AU 1400.00

Coronet

1843-D, VF-EF 350.00
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1850-O, EF 225.00
1855-C, EF, but sharper in detail than many specimens of higher grades 2400.00
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1861, AU 150.00
1865-S, VF 165.00
1869-S, VF-EF 159.00
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1904, BU, choice 195.00
1905, BU, choice 195.00
1907, BU, choice 195.00

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1854, BU, choice 2500.00
1855, BU. Surprisingly tough to find in mint state 2750.00
1857, AU, choice 1650.00
1857-S, EF-AU 1150.00
1858, EF-AU 1250.00
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Capped Bust Right

1796, 6 over 5, EF. The same type, although many times rarer, as the 1795 Small Eagle, and an excellent value in comparison 6950.00
1798, 13 Stars, EF-AU. 1800.00
1798, Large 8, 14 Star Reverse, AU. A scarce variety, listed in the Red Book at $2350 in EF 2250.00
1803, 3 over 2, BU, choice. A choice example of early gold 3950.00
1804, Small 8, BU 3200.00
1807, Bust Left, AU, choice . 1950.00
1812, AU 1750.00

Capped Head to Left

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1820, Curled Base 2, BU. Ex-Miles and Wolfson. 6900.00

Half Eagles (Cont'd.)

1823, BU, choice. Full frosty mint lustre. 15,000.00
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1834, Plain 4, Fine 139.00
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Coronet

1839-D, EF 850.00
1840-O, VF, $269.00; EF 495.00
1843-D, VF, $375.00; VF-EF, $425.00; AU 750.00
1843-O, VF 325.00
1844-D, VF-EF 425.00
1844-O, VF, $325.00; VF-EF, $395.00; AU 495.00
1846-D, EF, $525.00; AU 750.00
1846-O, EF 495.00
1847-C, VF-EF 425.00
1847-O, EF, vastly underrated 550.00
1848-C, AU 750.00
1850-C, Bold mintmark, EF-AU 725.00
1850-D, VF-EF 425.00
1851-C, AU 750.00
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1887-S, BU, choice 165.00
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1900, BU 120.00
1901-S, BU, choice 165.00
1902, BU, choice 165.00
1903-S, BU 120.00
1906-D, BU, $165.00; BU, choice 195.00
1907, AU, choice 99.00
1907-D, AU, $105.00; AU, choice, $115.00; BU, $165.00; BU, choice 195.00
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Indian

1909-O, EF 850.00

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Capped Bust Right

1796, EF. Dually attractive as a date and type coin 7500.00
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Coronet

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1895, BU 185.00
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1899, BU 185.00
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1901-S, BU 185.00
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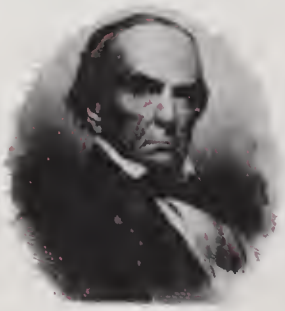

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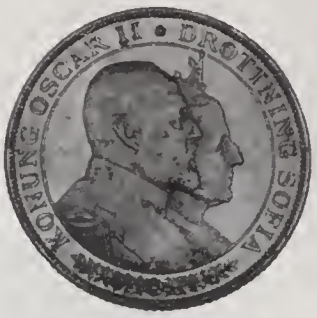

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1966 SMS (2,261,583)	3.50
1967 SMS (1,863,344)	4.00
1968-S (3,041,509)	6.50
1969-S (2,934,631)	6.50
1970-S (2,632,810)	14.00
1971-S (3,224,138)	6.75
1972-S (3,267,667)	7.00
1973-S (2,769,624)	16.00
1974-S (2,617,350)	16.00
1975-S	29.00

6.4516 grams

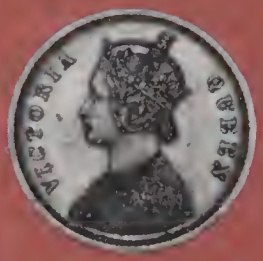
SWISS GOLD

.900 fine gold

Foreign Gold has always been very popular with collectors the world over, and Swiss gold is one of the most sought after items. We sell out of the Swiss 20 Francs each time we offer them to our customers. We recently came across 23 pieces of the beautiful 20 Franc piece designed in 1897 by F. Landry. The Landry design, depicting a Swiss girl with the Alps in the background, has long been considered to be one of the world's most beautiful coins. We offer a Choice BU specimen, date of our choice, for only $55. Because of the limited number of pieces available, we recommend that orders be placed early.

Swiss 20 Francs, 1914-1949, Date of Our Choice, Choice Brilliant Uncirculated $55.00

— Expert cataloguing and photography are only two reasons why Paramount's auctions are so popular. The main reason is the high prices *your* coins will bring.



11.66 grams
916 2/3 Fine Gold
Diameter 24 mm

British Colonial Gold

The Portuguese, Dutch, French and British were all bitter rivals, vying for the rich Indian trade in the 17th and 18th Centuries. Fine muslin, indigo, sugar and silk were among the important exports of this intriguing land. The British East India Company finally gained control in the early 1800's and passed this rule directly to the British Crown in 1858. Beginning in 1862, the British Colonial Government issued the famous "One Mohur", which was to become an important trade coin in the latter part of the century. We have acquired a small group of these significant coins, eight to be exact, and offer them at a very reasonable price.

Queen Victoria One Mohur, 1862-1889, Date of our Choice, Almost Uncirculated $220.00

1931-S Cents

DATE	MINTAGE	Mint State Price
1909-S, VDB	484,000	$275 - $350
1931-S	886,000	$ 50 - $ 55
1914-D	1,193,000	$550 - $700
1909-S	1,825,000	$ 75 - $100

The 1931-S cent has the second lowest mintage of the entire series, yet it sells for much less than dates with similar mintages. Look at the chart and you will see what we mean.

We have a few Red and Brown Uncirculated 1931-S cents. These pieces are full Mint State, with full hair detail. In this condition and with such a small mintage — you've *got* to like 1931-S cents. Mail your order today.

1931-S Cent, Red and Brown Uncirculated (Mintage: 886,000) $49.00

1957 OR 1975

You Choose!

Which proof set would you choose?

Date	1957	1975
Age	19 years	1 year
Number of Silver Coins	3	0
Melt Value	$2.50	0
Mintage	1.2 million	3 million
Current Cost	$7-$7.50	$25-$30

Why buy a new 1975 Proof Set with no silver coins at three times the price of a 19-year-old set with half the mintage and three silver coins? Additionally, the 1957 set contains a Proof Franklin Half Dollar — a type coin sure to grow in popularity as the years pass!

We will send you three 1957 Proof Sets for just $21. That's $1.50 off our regular price. Or take an investor's package of five 1957 sets for $34 — you save $3.50!

1957 U.S. Proof Sets, in original packaging

3 Sets $21.00
5 Sets $34.00

— Paramount is known for value. Try us once and you will know why.

THE 1936 PROOF SET — A Modern Rarity

Modern U.S. Proof Sets date from 1936. Before that, they had been produced fairly regularly from 1856 to 1916. But between 1916 and 1935, the Mint did not accept orders from collectors, although a few Proof presentation coins were struck.

In 1936, the Mint took orders for Proof coins, individually. Cent collectors could order cents, or any denomination they wanted. Thus, when a mintage figure of 3,837 is quoted, it refers to the number of quarters struck and sold. Only 3,837 sets could possibly exist, but certainly the total is MUCH smaller.

Many collectors have taken the Proof Buffalo Nickel, Mercury Dime and Walking Liberty Half Dollar for their type sets. Further reducing the available supply is the fact that many people cannot afford to purchase an entire 1936 Proof Set at one time, so they buy the coins one at a time. Naturally, it is more expensive to do this, but it reduces the supply still further.

Paramount's buyers have been searching for uncleaned, unwhizzed, nonpolished and nontarnished 1936 Proof Sets for almost 10 months. At first, we thought it would be easy to locate 20 or 30 choice sets. But after a few months we knew that this figure might take years to reach. Choice, uncleaned and untarnished 1936 Proof Sets are modern rarities.

Paramount has just eight choice 1936 Proof Sets available. Others may quote lower prices, but Paramount's quality is unbeatable! Order yours today.

1936 Proof Set, Cent through Half Dollar, Five Coins $1700.00

MEXICAN CENTENARIOS

In 1921, Mexico celebrated its Centennial of Independence from Spain. During that year two new coins of similar designs were issued to commemorate the event — the silver Two Pesos and the gold 50 Pesos. Commonly referred to as "Centenarios" the Two Pesos is slightly larger at 39 mm than the U.S. silver dollar while the 50 Pesos is 37 mm. The silver Two Peso denomination was only produced in 1921 and represents the *only year of type.* This popular coin is very elusive in the higher grades. After extensive searching we are able to offer Extremely Fine or better specimens as a part of this set.

The gold 50 Pesos is one of the most popular bullion coins around. Its 1.2 ounces of .900 fine gold have appealed to many investors and "gold bugs". Rather than including a restruck coin dated in the 1940's we guarantee you will receive an "early date" between 1921 and 1931 graded About Uncirculated or better. These pieces are much scarcer and offer considerably more numismatic value.

The Centenarios — a study in similarity and in contrast.

Beauty struck in silver and gold.

Mexican Centenarios, Gold 50 Peso and Silver 2 Peso Coins, in Special Holder $329.00

MORGAN AND PEACE SILVER DOLLARS

	MS-60	MS-65
1878-7F	16.00	19.00
1878-8F	28.00	33.00
1878-7/8F	49.00	56.00
1878-CC	34.00	39.00
1878-S	15.00	18.00
1879	15.00	18.00
1879-CC	650.00	920.00
1879-O	18.00	21.00
1879-S	10.00	12.00
1880	13.00	15.00
1880-CC	80.00	93.00
1880-O	33.00	38.00
1880-S	10.00	12.00
1881	12.00	14.00
1881-CC	81.00	94.00
1881-O	11.00	13.00
1881-S	10.00	12.00
1882	11.00	13.00
1882-CC	29.00	33.00
1882-O	9.00	11.00
1882-S	10.00	12.00
1883	11.00	13.00
1883-CC	29.00	33.00
1883-O	9.00	11.00
1883-S	310.00	385.00
1884	11.00	13.00
1884-CC	29.00	33.00
1884-O	9.00	11.00
1884-S	840.00	1050.00
1885	9.00	11.00
1885-CC	78.00 -66.50-	92.00
1885-O	9.00	11.00
1885-S	47.00	59.00
1886	9.00	11.00
1886-O	139.00	169.00
1886-S	129.00	149.00
1887	9.00	11.00
1887-O	16.00	20.00
1887-S	44.00	55.00
1888	10.00	12.00
1888-O	10.00	12.00
1888-S	129.00	152.00
1889	9.00	11.00
1889-CC	3200.00	4000.00
1889-O	39.00	52.00
1889-S	82.00	96.00
1890	11.00	13.00

	MS-60	MS-65
1890-CC -65-	77.00 -	90.00
1890-O	30.00	42.00
1890-S	29.00	36.00
1891	29.00	34.00
1891-CC -45-	62.00	72.00
1891-O	38.00	52.00
1891-S	32.00	39.00
1892	72.00	84.00
1892-CC	225.00	260.00
1892-O	79.00	119.00
1892-S	10,500.00	15,000.00
1893	190.00	225.00
1893-CC	620.00	925.00
1893-O	720.00	910.00
1894	575.00	725.00
1894-O	325.00	425.00
1894-S	270.00	315.00
1895	Choice Proof	9750.00
1895-O	2100.00	2900.00
1895-S	1800.00	2100.00
1896	10.00	12.00
1896-O	260.00	350.00
1896-S	510.00	595.00
1897	14.00	16.00
1897-O	270.00	360.00
1897-S	42.00	48.00
1898	11.00	13.00
1898-O	10.00	12.00
1898-S	135.00	160.00
1899	50.00	58.00
1899-O	9.00	11.00
1899-S	210.00	245.00
1900	9.00	11.00
1900-O	9.00	11.00
1900-S	129.00	152.00
1901	850.00	1200.00
1901-O	12.00	15.00
1901-S	142.00	165.00
1902	29.00	34.00
1902-O	9.00	11.00
1902-S	270.00	340.00
1903	19.00	23.00
1903-O	68.00	79.00
1903-S	1250.00	1650.00
1904	48.00	60.00
1904-O	9.00	11.00
1904-S	560.00	650.00

	MS-60	MS-65		MS-60	MS-65
1921	7.00	9.00	1926	22.00	26.00
1921-D	33.00	39.00	1926-D	32.00	37.00
1921-S	24.00	35.00	1926-S	26.00	32.00
1921 (Peace)	110.00	180.00	1927	54.00	64.00
1922	7.00	9.00	1927-D	110.00	135.00
1922-D	27.00	37.00	1927-S	170.00	210.00
1922-S	27.00	37.00	1928	190.00	220.00
1923	7.00	9.00	1928-S	115.00	140.00
1923-D	27.00	37.00	1934	54.00	63.00
1923-S	27.00	37.00	1934-D	86.00	110.00
1924	8.00	10.00	1934-S	875.00	1100.00
1924-S	120.00	150.00	1935	46.00	54.00
1925	9.00	11.00	1935-S	120.00	140.00
1925-S	76.00	94.00			

Quarter Eagle Rarities

1845-O, About Uncirculated. Official mint records for 1845 do not list this coin. In fact, the 1845-O quarter eagle was unknown to numismatists until its discovery by B. Max Mehl in the early 1900's. Further investigations reveal that 4,000 specimens dated 1845 were struck in January of 1846. 70 years ago when first discovered, specimens of this date sold for as much as $300 which, at the time, was an extraordinarily high price for a coin. Since then, several dozen additional specimens have appeared. It remains, however, one of the rarest dates in the series. In all probability, less than 100 specimens have surfaced **$1750.00**

1867, Gem, Proof. Superb, flawless surfaces and beautiful reddish-gold toning. As choice as the day it left the mint, and fully equal in quality to the superb 1866 we sold from Rare Coin List Number 11 or the 1864 that we sold in Rare Coin List Number 9. A mere 50 proofs were struck out of the total mintage of only 3,250 and in the 226 catalogues we analyzed for our quarter eagle publication, the 1867 was offered in proof a mere 8 times, compared to 15 offerings of the identical mintage 1864. A great rarity in unimprovable condition..... **$10,500.00**

— Advanced collectors know public auctions are one of the best methods of selling rarities or hard-to-locate high condition coins. Thousands of satisfied customers know that Paramount's Auction Department can provide expert cataloguing, the most advanced photography in the industry and the auction customers who bid the highest prices. If you are considering the sale of your collection, or your duplicates, contact our Auction Department.

GOLD
from Six Continents

— In a Special Presentation Holder

There are six inhabited continents in the world and they form the focal point of this exciting gold coin offer.

Gold, one of the earliest known and most desired of all metals, has been used as money for thousands of years. Its glitter and beautiful color have attracted men and enchanted women down through the centuries.

Paramount has specially selected an appropriate coin from each of the world's six inhabited continents to place in a fabulous "Gold from Six Continents" special offering.

To represent North America we have chosen the 10 Peso gold piece of Mexico. This is a very appropriate choice since Mexico was the first major source of gold (and other treasures) in North America after discovery of the New World by Columbus. The 5 Peso coin of Colombia was our choice for South America and Tunisia's 20 Franc coin makes a fine representative for the continent of Africa. Australia is unique in that it is both a continent and a single country and the Sovereign, minted in Melbourne, Perth and Sidney was for years its principal gold coin. There were many possibilities for a European gold coin and we finally decided on the 10 Guilder coin from the Netherlands, a truly beautiful coin featuring the head of Queen Wilhelmina. Asia, the world's largest inhabited continent has many countries that have produced gold coins. However, most of them are far too rare and too difficult to obtain to include in this offering. We finally selected as Asia's representative, the 100 Piastre gold coin of Turkey, a country of endless fascination and intrigue.

We think that this is such an outstanding and unique offering of world gold coins that we have encased the six coins in a special plastic presentation case which not only makes this set a wonderful display or conversation piece, but protects the coins as well. We're sure you'll agree that this is one of the biggest gold coin bargains we have **ever** offered. The coins in this set will grade from EF to BU.

Six Continent Gold Special, Extremely Fine to Brilliant Uncirculated, In Special Presentation Holder $349.00

Please list second choices, if possible. Our catalogues are sent to thousands of active numismatists and occasionally, the coin(s) you want will be sold when your order arrives. Second choices are sent ONLY if your first choice is no longer available. For the BEST RESULTS, please call our Personal Service Department, Collect at 513 — 836-8641 to reserve a particular coin or group of coins. Thank you!

Silver War Nickel Sets

During World War II, the United States was forced to change the composition of the five-cent piece from a nickel and copper composition to a composition of copper, manganese and *silver.* Most of the War Nickels available are well circulated and with today's silver value, these circulated pieces are highly sought by silver speculators and many have been melted. This leaves only a limited number of strictly Uncirculated sets available. The two "key" dates of this 11-piece set (1942-1945) are the 1942-P and 1943-D.

These "nickels" are unusual for other reasons, too. They are the only regular issue U.S. coins to display a "P" mintmark for coins struck at Philadelphia. Also, all San Francisco and Denver specimens bear greatly enlarged mintmarks above the dome of Monticello instead of the usual small mark to the right of Monticello.

We have been finding it considerably more difficult to obtain these Brilliant Uncirculated sets in recent months, but we have been able to assemble a few sets to be offered at this time. All 11 coins are Brilliant Uncirculated and mounted in a specially designed holder.

Set of War Nickels, 1942-1945, Brilliant Uncirculated, All 11 Dates and Mints, In Holder. $40.00

If you don't see the coin(s) you want please let us know your needs. Our inventory changes daily, and often we are able to get "just the right coin" for you.

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER

Lafayette

1900, Dollar, BU 660.00

Isabella

1893, Quarter, BU, $230.00; BU, choice 285.00

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER HALF DOLLARS

Alabama

1921, 2x2, BU 240.00

Albany

1936, BU, $170.00; BU, choice 185.00

Antietam

1937, BU, $185.00; BU, choice 200.00

Arkansas

1935, P-D-S Set, BU 130.00
1936, P-D-S Set, BU 130.00
1937, P-D-S Set, BU 135.00
1938, P-D-S Set, BU 240.00
1939, P-D-S Set, BU 640.00
Arkansas Type, BU, $39.00; BU, choice 45.00

Bay Bridge

1936, BU, $47.00; BU, choice . . 52.00

Boone

1935, P-D-S Set, BU 150.00
1935, Small 34, P-D-S Set, BU. 800.00
1936, P-D-S Set, BU 130.00
1937, P-D-S Set, BU 360.00
1938, P-D-S Set, BU 650.00
Boone Type, BU, $45.00; BU, choice 48.00

Bridgeport

1936, BU, $84.00; BU, choice . . 90.00

California

1925-S, BU, choice 62.00

Cincinnati

1936-D, BU 175.00
1936, P-D-S Set, BU 560.00
Cincinnati Type, BU, $175.00; BU, choice 190.00

Cleveland

1936, BU, $43.00; BU, choice . . 47.00

Columbia, S.C.

1936, BU, choice 97.00
1936-D, BU, $89.00; BU, choice 97.00
1936-S, BU, $89.00; BU, choice 97.00
1936, P-D-S Set, BU 285.00
Columbia Type, BU, $89.00; BU, choice 97.00

Columbian

1892, BU, $21.00; BU, choice . 27.00
1893, BU, $21.00; BU, choice . . 27.00

Connecticut

1935, BU, $135.00; BU, choice 145.00

Delaware

1936, BU, $120.00; BU, choice 130.00

Elgin

1936, BU, $110.00; BU, choice 120.00

Gettysburg

1936, BU, $92.00; BU, choice . . 98.00

Grant

1922, With Star, BU 480.00
1922, No Star, BU, $59.00; BU, choice 68.00

Hawaii

1928, BU, choice 1150.00

Hudson

1935, BU, $495.00; BU, choice 575.00

Huguenot

1924, BU, $52.00; BU, choice . . 59.00

Iowa

1946, BU, $39.00; BU, choice . . 42.00

Illinois

1918, BU, $46.00; BU, choice . . 54.00

Lexington

1925, BU, $58.00; BU, choice . . 68.00

Long Island

1936, BU, $35.00; BU, choice . . 41.00

Lynchburg

1936, BU, $99.00; BU, choice 115.00

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER HALF DOLLARS (Cont'd.)

Maine

1920, BU, $80.00; BU, choice . . 94.00

Maryland

1934, BU, choice 105.00

Missouri

1921, BU, $510.00; BU, choice 650.00
1921, 2x4, BU 510.00

Monroe

1923-S, BU, choice 68.00

New Rochelle

1938, BU, choice 215.00

Norfolk

1936, BU 190.00

Oregon

1926, BU 42.00
1928, BU 52.00
1933-D, BU 120.00
1936-S, BU 88.00
1938, P-D-S Set, BU 150.00
1939, P-D-S Set, BU 325.00
Oregon Trail Type, BU, $42.00; BU, choice 46.00

Panama-Pacific

1915-S, BU, $340.00; BU, choice 420.00

Pilgrim

1920, BU, $39.00, BU, choice . . 42.00
1921, BU, choice 99.00

Rhode Island

1936, BU, $47.00; BU, choice . . 50.00
1936, P-D-S Set, BU 139.00
Rhode Island Type, BU, $47.00; BU, choice 50.00

Roanoke

1937, BU, $57.00; BU, choice . . 62.00

Robinson

1936, BU, $80.00; BU, choice . . 87.00

San Diego

1935-S, BU, $39.00; BU, choice 42.00
1936-D, BU, $56.00; BU, choice 60.00

Sesquicentennial

1926, BU, $39.00; BU, choice . . 49.00

Spanish Trail

1935, BU, choice 560.00

Stone Mt.

1925, BU, $24.00; BU, choice . . 29.00

Texas

1934, BU 39.00
1937, P-D-S Set, BU 160.00
1938, P-D-S Set, BU 320.00
Texas Type, BU, $38.00; BU, choice 42.00

Vancouver

1925, BU, $240.00; BU, choice 280.00

Vermont

1927, BU, choice 115.00

B. T. Washington

1947, P-D-S Set, BU 30.00
1948, P-D-S Set, BU 64.00
1949, P-D-S Set, BU 119.00
1951, P-D-S Set, BU 64.00
B. T. Washington Type, BU, $6.50 BU, choice. 8.00

Washington-Carver

1951, P-D-S Set, BU 50.00
1952, P-D-S Set, BU 57.00
1953, P-D-S Set, BU 94.00
1954, P-D-S Set, BU 48.00
Washington-Carver Type, BU, $6.50 BU, choice. 8.00

Wisconsin

1936, BU, $88.00; BU, choice 105.00

York

1936, BU, $90.00; BU, choice . . 98.00

Complete Type Set, BU, $7350.00 BU, choice. 7900.00
Complete Set, BU 13,750.00

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

La. Purchase Jefferson

1903, $1, BU, choice 470.00

La. Purchase McKinley

1903, $1, BU, choice 470.00

AMERICA'S ONLY QUEEN

The Isabella Quarter of 1893 is the ONLY COMMEMORATIVE QUARTER OF THE 19TH CENTURY. And with the issuance of a commemorative quarter bearing the date 1976, many people expect interest in our only previous commemorative quarter to EXPLODE!

The Isabella Quarter was struck as a companion coin for the 1892 and 1893 Columbian Exposition Half Dollars. Unlike the millions of half dollars coined, only 40,023 quarters were struck — AND 15,809 WERE MELTED! That's right, only 24,214 examples of this commemorative quarter could possibly exist. In addition to the extremely low mintage, THE ISABELLA QUARTER IS THE ONLY U.S. COIN TO PICTURE A FOREIGN MONARCH, QUEEN ISABELLA I OF SPAIN!

Wouldn't you like to own America's first commemorative quarter?

1893 Isabella Quarter, Brilliant Uncirculated $230.00
1893 Isabella Quarter, Choice Brilliant Uncirculated $285.00

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD (Cont'd.)

Lewis and Clark

1904, $1, BU 1000.00
1905, $1, BU, choice 1300.00

Pan-Pacific

1915-S, $1, BU, $275.00; BU, choice 340.00
1915-S, $2½, BU, $1250.00; BU, choice 1450.00

McKinley

1916, $1, BU 310.00
1917, $1, BU, choice 435.00

Grant

1922, With Star, $1, BU, choice 895.00

Sesquicentennial

1926, $2½, BU, $260.00; BU, choice 300.00

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1909 Philadelphia Cent Sets

In 1908 and 1909 many people felt a coin bearing the likeness of Abraham Lincoln should be issued since 1909 marked the 100th Anniversary of the Civil War President's birth. It was first suggested that Lincoln be placed on the half dollar, but President Theodore Roosevelt proposed that Lincoln be placed on the cent. The one cent piece was the best choice as the familiar Indian Head design was fifty years old.

Less than 15 million Indian Cents dated 1909 were issued making this one of the scarcer Philadelphia Cents of the 20th Century. When the new Lincoln design appeared in mid-1909, the letters V.D.B. appeared on the reverse at the bottom. Little did designer Victor D. Brenner know that public dissatisfaction with his initials would force their removal from the reverse of the newly designed cent after only a few weeks. Only 28 million 1909 Philadelphia Lincoln Cents were struck with the designer's initials making this a very limited and popular type coin.

For the balance of 1909, the Lincoln Cent was struck without the V.D.B. Therefore, there are the three distinct varieties of 1909 small cents. Recently, we acquired several 1909 uncirculated small cents and are able to offer them as a set in a custom holder. We have carefully selected and matched these coins, which are Red and Brown Uncirculated.

1909 Small Cent Set, Red and Brown Uncirculated $59.00

BRITISH CORONATION PROOF SETS

Issued
In Honor Of The New Monarch

- LOW MINTAGE
- HIGH POTENTIAL
- WIDE POPULARITY
- GREAT HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Great Britain has marked her last two Royal Coronations with the issue of a special Proof Set. These beautiful Proof Sets are housed in their original case of issue and represent the Royal Mint's best effort. Magnificent designs, faithfully transformed to coinage in plush cases . . . beauty and value!

By any standard, British Proof Sets are greatly underpriced today. Few collectors and investors have taken the time to find out how rare and desirable these beautiful sets really are.

Before long this will change, but why wait until prices go up?

1937 Coronation Proof Set in plush maroon leatherette case of issue. Complete 15-piece set; farthing through the crown. Includes the 4-piece Maundy Set of this year. Issued to mark the crowning of King George VI who ascended to the throne when his brother, Edward VIII, the Duke of Windsor, abdicated. Only 26,402 sets were issued, many marred by the ravages of time. Our buyers have selected the finest quality that money can buy and offer these sets to you at the special price of **$195.00**

1953 Coronation Proof Set issued in honor of Queen Elizabeth II. Complete from the farthing to the crown. Ten pieces in the original plush maroon leatherette case of issue. Just 40,000 sets issued to commemorate this historic occasion **$89.00**

Extra Value! Order both sets and save even more

1937 and 1953 Coronation Proof Sets, You Save $19 . . . . . $265.00

Scarce British Farthing Starter Sets

The venerable British Farthing began its career centuries ago. This small copper coin is similar in size and content to our own cent. In 1956 inflation took its toll and farthing production was discontinued. In the 1960's the denomination was demonetized and thousands upon thousands of coins were melted by the government.

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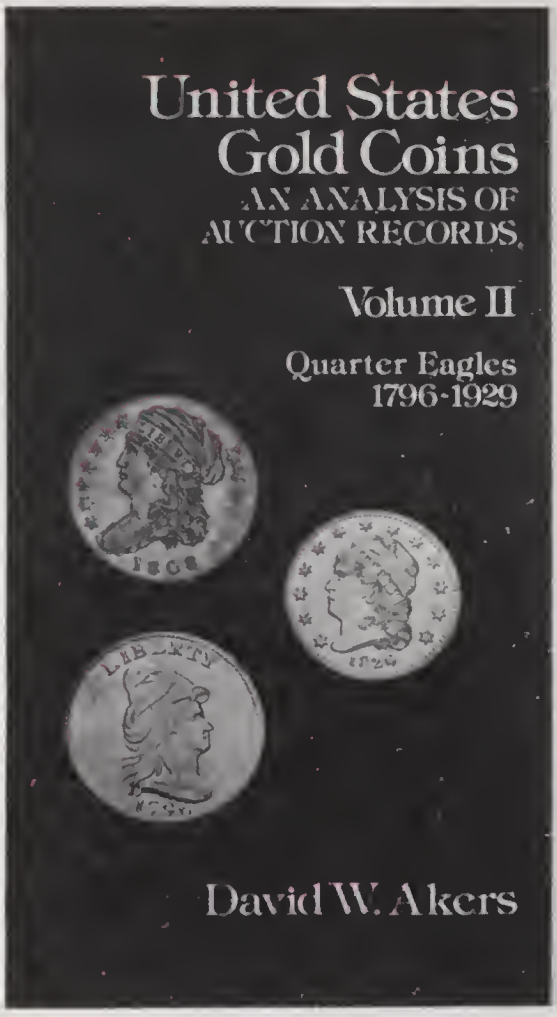

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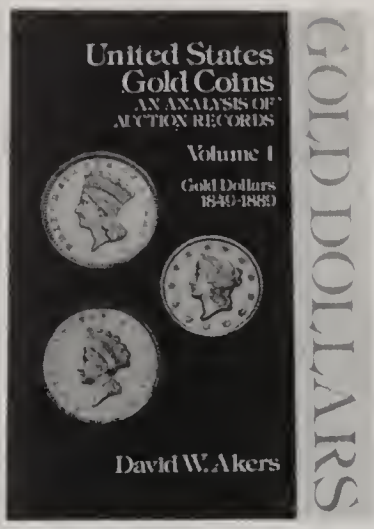

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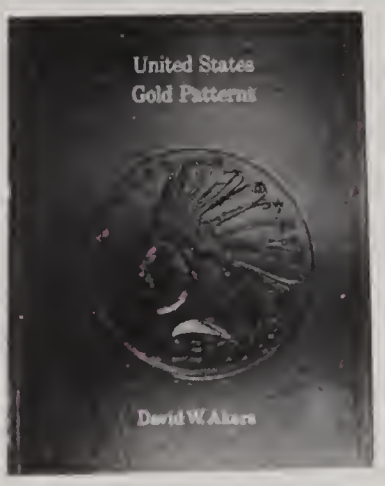

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1973 Proof $2 Coin 24.00
1974 Proof $2 Coin 20.00
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1973 Specimen Set (2-pc) . . . 52.00
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1970 Uncirculated $1 Coin . . 20.00
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1972 Proof Set 38.75
1973 Proof Set 30.00
1974 Proof Set 55.00
1975 Proof Set 66.00
1970 Specimen Set 12.50
1971 Specimen Set 28.00
1974 Specimen Set 29.50
1970 Proof $1 Coin 30.00
1971 Proof $1 Coin 38.00
1972 Proof $5 Coin 30.00
1973 Proof $5 Coin 21.00
1972 Proof $10 Coin 35.00
1974 Proof $10 Coin 37.00
1975 Proof $10 Coin 30.00
1972 Proof $20 Gold Coin . 120.00
1972 Uncirculated $20 Gold Coin 86.75
1975 Proof $100 Gold Coin 200.00

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1975 Proof Set (9-pc) 130.00
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1972 Proof 1 Balboa Coin . . . 14.50
1973 Proof 1 Balboa Coin . . . 11.50
1974 Proof 1 Balboa Coin . . . 11.00
1975 Proof 1 Balboa Coin . . . 30.00
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1972 Proof 20 Balboa Coin . . 70.00
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1972 Proof Set (7-pc) 40.00
1972 Proof Set (8-pc) 50.00
1973 Proof Set (7-pc) 25.00
1973 Proof Set (8-pc) 40.00
1974 Proof Set 60.00
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1974 Proof $5 Coin 25.00
1972 Proof $10 Coin 22.00
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1971 India Proof 10 Rupee Coin	16.00
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1973 Liberia Proof $5 Coin	13.50
1970 Nepal Proof Set	30.00
1970 Panama Proof 1 Balboa Coin	27.00
1973 Panama Proof 1 Balboa Coin	8.75
1970 Trinidad-Tobago Proof Set	40.00
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1973 Trinidad-Tobago Proof $10 Coin	14.95

WORLD PROOF COIN STATUS REPORT

Canadian Olympic Series I-V — All paid orders processed before February 13, 1976 will be shipped by February 27, 1976.

Olympic Display Stands — Virtually all presentation stands have been shipped to subscription customers receiving their Series II Sets.

1975 Liberia Proof Set — All orders have been shipped.

World Wildlife Conservation Coinage Series I — Orders received after November 4 will be shipped in late February, 1976.

1975 Panama 500 Balboa Coin — All orders have been shipped.

1975 Cayman Islands Six-Queens Coinage — All silver and gold orders received by September 30, 1975 have been shipped. Orders received after September 30 will be shipped between February and April as we receive the balance of coins from the Mint. Orders will be shipped in the sequence received.

1975 Turks and Caicos Islands Coinage — The Royal Canadian Mint currently expects to deliver these coins in March, and if received, we will have all orders shipped by the end of March.

1975 Cayman Islands Coinage — We have received a partial order of 8-coin proof sets from the Royal Canadian Mint and they will be shipped in the sequence the orders were received.

1975 Trinidad-Tobago Coinage — We have received a partial shipment from the Mint. All orders will be shipped by late February, 1976.

1975 Cook Islands Coinage — The Franklin Mint is currently striking these coins and we currently expect to ship all orders by March 15, 1976.

1975 French "Fleurs de Coins" — All paid orders processed by February 16 have been shipped. Orders received after the 16th will be shipped in early March.

1976 Netherlands Antilles Coinage — We have received a partial shipment from the Mint and expect to receive the balance shortly. All orders should be shipped by March 1.

1976 Bahamas Coinage — The Franklin Mint has advised that they expect to deliver these coins by March 8.

1976 Panama 100 Balboa Coin — The Franklin Mint has not advised us of their exact schedule but we hope to ship all orders by early April.

1976 Jamaica Coinage — The Franklin Mint has not advised us of their exact schedule but we hope to ship all orders by early April.

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